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## IMPROVED SCHOOL GROUNDS

**School Committee Plans for Grading of Lawns at Central Schools. Motor Transportation for Pupils Discussed.**

The regular meeting of the school committee was held Tuesday evening, with Chairman Roy H. Bradford presiding. In the absence of David R. Lawson, Fred E. Cheever acted as clerk.

Before the business session E. E. Babb, Jr., of E. E. Babb & Co., Boston, spoke on motor transportation for the school children. The transportation account last year was \$6000 and it may be larger next year. It is believed money could be saved by using motor buses. No action was taken but the matter was referred to the financial committee for further consideration and investigation.

A room for retarded pupils will be opened next fall at the Central school. Henry C. Sanborn, superintendent, reported that twenty children were retarded in their studies and the State law requirements demand a special teacher for these children. This was included in the budget. The room is not for mentally or physically deficient children but for pupils who are slow in learning.

The grounds in front of the Central schools will be graded and the contract was awarded to J. F. McDonough Co., the lowest bidder, at \$617. The Stowe grounds will be ploughed, graded and seeded and all roots taken out, and the corner of the High School grounds opposite the park will also be graded and loamed.

The janitors were elected at the same wage rate as last year: James Eaton, Indian Ridge; James McGhie, Bradley; Granville Cutler, West Center; John Crowley, North; Rudolph Johnson, Bailey; George Spickler, Osgood; William Gillespie, Richardson; Thomas Dea, John Ralph and Patrick Barrett, Central and Pynchard.

Miss Anna Chase was elected teacher of history in the Stowe school for 1922-23, to succeed Mr. Draper, who has been substituting. Miss Chase is a former principal of the school.

The bids for the coal contracts were opened but not awarded. In view of the present coal situation it was voted to call for new bids. The matter was left in the hands of the committee.

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## MAY BREAKFAST

**Annual Affair Draws a Thousand Persons to Enjoy Morning Repast in Town Hall**

A bright May morning contributed to the success of the annual breakfast served by members of the Woman's Relief Corps to a thousand persons in the town hall Tuesday morning.

For three hours young and old from all parts of the town thronged the hall. To the usual menu of fruit, beans, rolls, coffee and pie, cold meats were added. There was an ample supply of food and the waitresses did their best to supply everyone's wants.

Two large tables were reserved for Abbot Academy girls, and nearly the entire student body attended. Many students from Phillips Academy were also present.

Members of the G. A. R. assisted in the sale of tickets and were present at the breakfast. George W. Chandler of Dorchester and John Parker from the soldiers' home in Chelsea were among those who attended.

The following were members of the executive committee: Mrs. Charles S. Buchan, chairman; Mrs. Elmer Davis, Mrs. R. W. Coleman, Mrs. Horace Eaton, Mrs. James Walker, Mrs. William Bracewell, Mrs. Edward Cole, and Mrs. Joseph Nuckley, president.

The servers were: Table 1—Mrs. James Walker and Mrs. Samuel Wormald, assisted by Mrs. James Skea, Mrs. Edward Dunwood, Mrs. W. J. Orr and Mrs. George J. York.

Table 2—Mrs. William Bracewell and Mrs. Davina Cuthbert, Miss Charlotte Hill, Miss Ethel Hilton and Mrs. Leonard Saunders.

Table 3—Mrs. R. W. Coleman and Mrs. B. Frank Hatch, assisted by Mrs. Joseph I. Pitman and Mrs. Paul Simeone.

Table 4—Mrs. John Henderson and Mrs. Archibald Davidson, assisted by Mrs. Frank Davis, Mrs. Harry Gouck, Mrs. John Bu-

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## LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Mrs. William A. Allen is ill at her home on Chestnut street.

Mrs. James Duval, who has been ill, is slowly recovering.

Onar P. Chase left town today for a ten-day's visit in Springfield, Vermont.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nicoll and son spent the week-end with Mrs. Agnes Dear, Summer street.

Gordon May visited his mother, Mrs. Isabella May, of Washington avenue over the week-end.

Harry A. Ramsdell left Monday for his summer's work in the Crawford House, Crawford, N. H.

Please save your tin foil, empty toothpaste tubes and aluminum foil for the A. V. I. S. salvage committee.

Mrs. Charles E. Abbott has returned to her home on Main street after a short sojourn at Baldpate Inn, Georgetown.

Mrs. Winslow Goodwin of Chicago, Ill., is spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Saunders of Chestnut street.

The number of books issued for home use at the Memorial Hall Library during April was 5581. At Ballardvale, 643 were borrowed.

W. Dudley Higgins of the Aetna Insurance Co., of Hartford, Conn., was a guest of L. D. Collins of Chestnut street over the week-end.

Miss Florence S. Merrigan of Arlington has been spending the week at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Eben Simmons, 37 Washington avenue.

Henry C. Sanborn, superintendent of schools attended the state convention of superintendents held at Framingham Normal school this week.

Mrs. Francis Howe Johnson takes up her residence today at "Linwood," Andover, after spending the winter at "The Portland," Washington, D. C.

Miss Edith Edwards of 65 Bartlett street sailed for Liverpool, Wednesday on the S. S. Lacomia of the Cunard line. This is the maiden voyage of the Lacomia.

Thomas Neil, past chancellor of Garfield lodge, Knights of Pythias, will receive his grand lodge rank Thursday night at the annual Pythian convention in Boston.

The Ladies' Mission Circle of the Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Mary S. Jackson, 11 School street at 3 p.m., Thursday, May 11. A full and enthusiastic meeting is desired.

Rev. C. W. Henry, Vaughan, and Roy E. Spencer and T. Dennis Thomson were delegates from Christ church to the Episcopal convention held in Boston on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William MacLean who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. MacLean's brother, Harry H. Noyes of Wolcott avenue, have returned to their home in Warenda, Penn.

The Smith and Dove athletic association and the Smith and Dove girls' club will hold a dance in the town hall Friday evening, May 12. Weldon's orchestra will furnish music for dancing.

The peach orchard of R. N. C. Barnes at Twin Cedar farm on Sunset Rock road is in full bloom and pedestrians and motorists will be amply repaid for passing that way within the next few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Reynolds and daughter Nancy were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester C. Newton, 34 Salem street. Mr. Reynolds is a prominent member of the faculty of Brooklyn Boy's High school.

The annual poverty party of Andover Post 8, American Legion will be held tonight in the town hall. Prizes will be awarded those presenting the most poverty stricken appearance and Kewpie dolls will be given out during the evening.

H. A. S. Read who recently sold his residence on Locke street to Joseph A. Rand has purchased land from Fred M. Temple situated on the Reading road south of the land of Philip R. French. Mr. Read expects to begin building within a few months.

Miss Elizabeth Casey of 116 Main street sailed May third on the new Cunard liner, the Samaria for an extended visit to her native home in Killarney, Ireland. She was accompanied on the trip by her cousin, Miss Josephine Reardon of Boston. Many friends from Andover and Lawrence were at the dock to wish them "bon voyage."

A bakery sale for the purpose of raising funds for the work of the Andover Village Improvement society is being held this afternoon at J. H. Playdon's store on Main street. The sale is in charge of Mrs. George E. Humsey assisted by Mrs. E. A. Baldwin, Mrs. H. H. Tyler, Mrs. N. E. Bartlett, Mrs. Frank L. Brigham, Mrs. G. F. Moore and Mrs. George B. Frost.

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## LOCAL NEWS NOTES

**Coming Events**

8.00 p. m. Town hall. Legion Poverty party.  
8.00 p. m. Pynchard hall. Alumni reception to Pynchard union.

8.00 p. m. Davis hall. Entertainment for benefit of Abbot Loyalty Endowment Fund.

8.00 p. m. Town hall. Harbortowne presents "A Single Man."

7.45 p. m. Christ Church parish house. Entertainment under the auspices of St. Catherine's Guild.

Henry Otis and Miss Helen Otis of Pine street are spending the week's vacation in Plymouth.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Fuller have returned to their home on Central street after spending the winter in Washington, D. C.

A very enjoyable dance was held Saturday night in the Guild house under the auspices of Buckley's orchestra, which furnished excellent music.

Miss Alice S. Couha, principal of the John Dove School, Miss Helen Hartford, principal of the Indian Ridge School, Miss Lillian Ness and Miss Elvira Fuller are enjoying a ten-day's trip to Washington, D. C.

The Andover Mothers' club held its regular meeting Wednesday afternoon at the Pynchard building with the president, Mrs. Charles Buchanan in the chair. Plans were made for a cake sale to be held Friday, May 12, at S. K. Ames store between the hours of two and five.

The Helping Hand society of the Free church held a sewing meeting Tuesday afternoon. Plans were made to entertain the Junior choir. Afternoon tea was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Joseph Miller, Mrs. Everett Ryder, Mrs. James Gillespie and Mrs. Charles Mayer.

Hardwick Bigelow, son of Rev. and Mrs. E. Victor Bigelow has been transferred from seat no. 7 on the second boat to seat no. 3 on the first boat of the Yale varsity crew.

On last Saturday he rowed on the Yale Junior crew against Columbia. In the evening he was one of the guests of C. D. Gibson, whose wife is entertaining her sister, Lady Astor.

**Fire Board Organizes**

The board of fire engineers met at the Central Fire Station Wednesday night and organized. Charles F. Emerson was again elected chief and L. D. Pomeroy, clerk. Routine business was transacted, the time of the engineers being taken up with brush fire payrolls.

**Traffic Officer Appointed**

Leslie R. Carmichael of Burnham road received the appointment of traffic officer at a meeting of the selectmen held Monday and will assume his duties next week. The motorcycle for the use of the new officer has not yet been purchased.

Mr. Carmichael is an ex-service man and served in the navy during the war.

The selectmen have granted the regular patrolmen one day off in fifteen. Officer Napier was the first man to receive the advantage of the new arrangement on Monday.

Charles F. Emerson, L. D. Pomeroy and Harry Wells have been appointed on the board of fire engineers.

**Auto Skids on Wet Highway**

Two of the police force of New Bedford were slightly injured when their automobile turned turtle after skidding on the Reading road yesterday afternoon.

Constanto Allery of 342 Shaw street, and Peter N. Nomenton of 115 Hathaway street, both of New Bedford, were proceeding from Lawrence toward Reading on their return trip to New Bedford when in turning out to pass a truck their machine skidded, crossed the road and turned turtle in the field near the residence of John Jenkins.

Both men suffered from cuts and bruises; a boy who accompanied them was uninjured. They were given first aid by Dr. Lane and were able to proceed to New Bedford by train.

Their car, with a wrecked top and a twisted hind wheel was towed to Bachan's garage.

**Bird Walk to be Held Tuesday**

The annual bird walk of the Andover Natural History society will be held on Tuesday, May 9, in Ballardvale.

Those desiring to walk, will leave the corner of Main and Chestnut streets at four o'clock. The rest of the party will take the 4.40 train (daylight saving time) for Ballardvale where they will be met by Mr. Thompson who will assist in the study of the mooses of the vicinity.

Supper will be eaten at the camp of Maynard Clemens on the Shawbush.

**Contract Awarded for Main Street**

At a meeting of the Board of Public Works held Tuesday evening the contract for the reconstruction of Main street was awarded to the M. McDonough Co., of Swampscott. Slight modifications have been made in the original contract to meet the requirements of the board.

**FACTS REGARDING THE COAL STRIKE**

The coal strike has failed to rouse a great deal of excitement in the minds of the public. The general attitude is that the price of coal must come down and that operators must clean house and do away with such wasteful methods and excessive profits as may exist, and the miners must give a full and good day's work for a fair day's pay. Higher wages for the same old rate of production are not to be thought of. Both sides ought to "come clean" and give the public its coal at reasonable prices.

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## ANNUAL LUNCHEON

**Women's Guild of Christ Church Elects Officers and Plans Work for Ensuing Year**

The annual luncheon and business meeting of the Women's Guild of Christ church was held yesterday afternoon in the parish house.

In spite of the pouring rain, twenty members gathered about the cheerful luncheon table where a gorgeous Maybasket filled with forsythia formed the centerpiece. At each corner there was a bouquet of arbutus.

The menu consisted of Frankfurts, potato salad, a great variety of relishes, individual lemon pies, cakes, rolls and coffee. This part of the program was in charge of Mrs. David H. Munro, chairman, assisted by Mrs. H. E. Miller, Mrs. Thomas Rhodes, Mrs. C. H. Jowett and Mrs. Alfred Pullan. The decorations were by Miss Alice Jenkins.

After the luncheon the business meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Arthur Boutwell.

Money was voted for the support of missions in Japan, China and Latin-America, as well as for India and negro missions in the United States. The summer camp for the church choir will also receive support from the Women's Guild.

It was voted to appropriate \$35 to send a delegate to a summer school for church workers held either at Wellesley or Concord. A pantry sale will be held next month and work for the annual Thanksgiving sale will be commenced during the summer.

The following reports were given: United thank-offering, Mrs. Honore H. Tyler, mite boxes, Mrs. A. E. Hulme; Circle of Friendship, Mrs. C. W. Henry; Church Periodical society, Miss Alice Jenkins. This last-named society has undertaken an interesting work, that of sending magazines where good reading is not easily available. Already magazines are being sent to twelve different states as well as to Alaska, Japan and China.

The report of the nominating committee was read and officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: president, Mrs. Arthur Boutwell; first vice president, Mrs. W. D. Walker; second vice president, Mrs. C. W. Henry; secretary, Mrs. Gerard Chapin; treasurer, Miss Martha W. Packard.

**Dr. Abbott to give Address**

At the annual meeting of the Andover League of Women Voters to be held on Friday, May 12, at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. R. N. C. Barnes the business meeting will be followed by an informal talk by Dr. Abbott on recent legislation that has especially interested the league. Tea will be served.

Solos were sung by Miss Mary Caldwell, her sister, Miss Isabel Caldwell acting as accompanist.

A sale of candy and punch was held, these in charge of the tables being: candy, Miss Jean Dundas and Miss Jean MacDonald;

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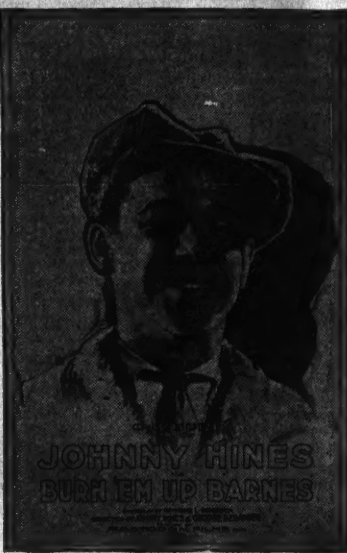
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## ANDOVER COLONIAL THEATRE

Wednesday, May 10  
Roy Stewart in "The Heart of the North"  
George Walsh in "With Stanley in Africa"  
Thursday, May 11  
Shirley Mason in "Little Miss Marmalade"  
All Star in "The Call of Home"  
Friday, May 12  
Edmond Cobb in "The Desert Scorpion"  
Corinne Griffith in "Moral Fibre"  
Saturday, May 13  
Alice Lake in "Kisses"  
L. C. Witcomb in "Fools Rush Out"  
Charles Hutchinson in "Go Get 'Em Hutch"  
Monday, Tuesday, May 8-9  
Marion Davies in "Bride's Play"  
Johnny Hines in "Burn 'Em Up Barnes"



Johnny (Torchy) Hines' leading woman in "Burn 'Em Up Barnes," his initial feature length starring vehicle, which comes to the Colonial theatre next Monday and Tuesday for a two days' stay, is Betty Carpenter, whose first screen appearance was made several years ago in a series of Universal pictures. Afterwards she was with the Sunshine Comedy Company and later played the role of Hope in Famous Players' super-production "Experience". Her latest screen appearances have been made under the auspices of Realart, appearing in support of Constance Binney and Alice Brady. In "Burn 'Em Up Barnes" it is this petite golden-haired girl who inspires the hero to

regain the booty taken from the First National Bank by a couple of crooks, who make their escape in the guise of automobile racers entered in the annual road race being run on that very day. Johnny, who is the hero, obtains a racer and, accompanied by "the girl", speeds after the crooks, recovers the loot and at the same time wins the trophy and—need it be said?—also wins the girl. Prominent in support are such other distinguished artists as Edmund Breese, George Fawcett, J. Barney Sherry, Julia Swayne Gordon, Matthew Betts, Richard Thorpe, Dorothy Leeds and Harry Fraser. Raymond L. Schrock provided the story, and George A. Beranger handled the megaphone.

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268 B17b

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\$45.12 B41

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\$22.08 C68

Haworth. Trail-makers of the northwest.  
\$17.8 H31

Lauer & Brown. Radio engineering principles.  
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Robinson. Mind in the making.  
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Burnham. The key note.  
Mills. Mr. Pim.  
Mitchell. Jane journeys on.  
Onions. Wrong Mr. Right.  
Pryde & Weeks. Purple pearl.  
Watts. House of Rimmon.

## Rebekahs Plan Memorial Service

The regular meeting of Indian Ridge Rebekah lodge was held Monday evening with Mrs. Samuel Wormald, noble grand, in the chair.

Regular business was transacted and plans were considered for holding a memorial service for those who have died during the year. The exercises will be held sometime in June on a date to be announced later. After the business meeting, whist was played, the first prizes being won by Mrs. Susan Wood and James Craig, the consolation prizes by Miss Miriam Dyson and Mr. Morgan.

Refreshments were served by Miss Marion Porter assisted by Mrs. Samuel Wormald, Mrs. Edna Brickett and Mrs. William Faulkner.

The next meeting, to be held on May 15, will be brothers' night when the brothers will entertain.

On May 12, the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will give a minstrel show in Odd Fellows hall. This event will celebrate the one hundred and third anniversary of Odd Fellowship and is arranged for the entertainment of the Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and their families.

## Communication

To the Editor of the Townsman:  
May I try to contribute something to the discussion of our town affairs? I am interested in the town not only as a resident for over twenty years but because I count some of the first settlers among my ancestors. I am proud of them and of the town. I have faith in the town. All that it needs is that all its citizens pull together with wisdom and foresight.

In the ordinary history of the town its affairs have progressed regularly, one year like another and it has been easy to foresee and to plan. But into the town life have come two new things. The streets cost thousands of dollars where they used to cost hundreds. The new village raises many new questions. I have heard the statement that it may have ten thousand inhabitants and from ten to twelve hundred children. Taking this as true for the moment, what does it mean? Political control passing from the present voters; a change in the character of our voters; a doubling of our school buildings, including the high school; a doubling of the appropriation for schools; many new sewers including the new main sewer; more police; a doubled fire department; more sidewalks. The problem is one with many elements. They cannot be divided.

I have taken the figures given me. I do not accept them as applicable to Andover alone. Any such increase would flow over into Lawrence and North Andover. But how much would it? What I have stated does not mean that we are to be discouraged but that our plans ought to look at least five years ahead and ought to cover the whole ground.

One thing more needs foresight. The present village is practically laid out by Mr. Wood and is beyond criticism, but if the new population is to be numbered by thousands it will outrun his land. Speculators are going to lay out streets and lots. If we are not to have slums and disreputable neighborhoods the new streets and houses must be supervised. There must be provision for playgrounds and a park. For this purpose the town ought to elect a planning board under General Laws, c. 41, § 7A, 7B. Of this board Mr. Wood would be the natural chairman.

I appreciate that all this may mean high taxes. But if the town covers the whole ground, looks ahead and plans wisely, I think that they can be kept within solvent limits. But if the town blunders on, each expenditure taken by itself with no forethought, the outlook is very bad. We can bear a good deal if the money is well spent and we know that in ten or twenty or even thirty years it will end. But if the future is all uncertain, especially if we have no confidence in the wisdom of our town, who can blame us if we are discouraged?

Let me insist, again and again, on two things, foresight and a planning board.

Yours truly,  
CHARLES U. BELL

## Highland Scottish and Scotch Reels Instead of the Fox Trot

A program of old-time Scottish dances was enjoyed last Friday evening in the Guild house where the clansmen, Ladies' Auxiliary and their friends tripped the "light fantastic" according to the dances of old Scotland. Those in charge of the program were George Fyfe, William Walker, Alexander Valentine, James Sorrie, Robert Goodale, Hector Keith and Chief John Elder.

The program of dances was as follows: Highland Scottish Reels.

Waltz.  
Circassian circle.  
Rory O'Moore.  
Waltz.  
Paddy Cotter.  
Quadrille (big time).  
Spanish Waltz.  
Blue Bonnets.  
Reel O'Tulloch.  
La Varsoviana.  
Scotch reel.

No little part of the success was due to the music furnished by Cruickshank's Old Country Band. They played every dance without music and included many of the favorite Scottish melodies. Their time was perfect for the dancing.

## Siftings

The historical exhibit picturing the history of Abbot academy attracted many visitors to the John-Esther gallery on Wednesday and will again be open to the public from two to five o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Early catalogues, records and programs of exhibitions and entertainments contain much that is of interest.

Photographs of the Draper readers, class groups, views of the interior of Smith hall and Draper hall when it was first furnished bring back vividly the early days of the school. A special exhibit of photographs of the present faculty is well worth the extra fee charged for a glimpse of some excellent likenesses.

Choice bits may be gleaned from the early catalogues. When the school was first opened no accommodations were provided for the boarding pupils but the catalogue of 1832 gave the reassuring information that good board could be obtained for \$1.50 to \$2.00 a week. By 1839, however, prices had risen to \$2.00 and \$3.00.

In the catalogue for 1835 we read: "For all over ten, tuition in the English branches shall be \$3.00 per quarter; Greek, Latin and French, \$1.00 additional. Instrumental music \$10.00 per quarter. Sacred music is taught without extra charge."

Four years later tuition in Latin and French had risen to \$2.00 a term, and although the fee for instruction in music remained the same, \$2.00 was charged for the use of the instrument. Most of the courses were arranged apparently with a view to fitting the pupils for the teaching profession.

No rules for regulating conduct are specified but this simple statement is considered sufficient to cover every situation.

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A larger panorama of Andover from a point below the railroad station shows the buildings of Andover as they were about 1854. This is a recently acquired treasure and belonged to Miss Agnes Park.

A poster printed in 1854 and found among the papers of Mrs. Abbie J. Smart announces the famous levee promoted by Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, the proceeds of which were used for furnishing Smith hall.

An old account book belonging to David Hildes contains a record of the work done by the day on the old hall kept by a curious method of marks, placed against the name of each workman. Mention is made of several days' work done in Cambridge on the columns for the "female academy" in 1838.

Among many other interesting articles is a hair brooch delicately mounted in gold and labeled "classpin of 1836."

The first books published by an Abbot graduate are those by Elizabeth Stuart Phelps; "Sunny-side" in 1851 and "Angel Over the Right Shoulder" in 1852, copies of which are at hand for the visitor's inspection.

The small admission fee which is charged will be turned over to swell the Abbot day contribution to the Loyalty Endowment fund.

Abbot day tomorrow!

The Townsman

Primary Teachers of Free Church School Entertain

Mrs. William Leightizer of Everett, who as Miss Arlene Maskell was for three years a teacher in the primary department of the Free church Sunday school, was entertained by her fellow teachers on last Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. E. E. Perry on Elm street.

Following a pleasant hour spent in playing progressive games, Mrs. Leightizer was presented with a pyrex casserole in a silver holder by the teachers with whom she has been so happily associated.

Refreshments were served in the dining-room which was effectively decorated for the occasion. The winners in the progressive game contest, Miss Virginia Ramsdell and Miss Jimma Walker, were presented with souvenirs in the form of May baskets.

Those present were Mrs. E. E. Perry, Mrs. Lucy Hight, Mrs. William Mitchell, Mrs. Lewis Paine, Martha Buttrick, Marion Wilkinson, Olive Mitchell, Alexina Harris, Virginia Ramsdell, Jimma Walker and Mrs. Leightizer.

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## Children's Dancing Classes Held Final Parties

The dance recital under the direction of Mrs. Samuel H. Bailey Jr., which was held in the Lawrence city hall last Friday evening was attended by many persons from Andover. Pupils in both the beginners' and advanced classes exhibited ballroom and fancy dancing. General dancing followed.

Among the members of Mrs. Bailey's Andover class who took part in the exhibition were Constance and Dorothy Wade, Marion Coutts, Betty Ingram, Jean Mercer, Helen and George Stubbs, Vivian, Betty and Mary E. Southworth and Clare O'Connell.

The closing event of Mrs. Bailey's Andover dancing classes was the favor party held at the November clubhouse Wednesday afternoon.

During the afternoon Mrs. Bailey was presented with a beautiful bouquet of flowers.

Among the members of the class present were Mary Ella, Betty and Vivian Southworth, Phyllis Eaton, Elaine Burt, Dorothy Welch, Ruth Stott, Virginia Chapin, Betty Bartlett, Helen Ripley, Jean Mercer, Betty Ingram, Marion Coutts, Helen Stubbs, Elizabeth Newall, Constance and Dorothy Wade, George Stubbs, John Rand and George Lyon.

## Abbot Academy Notes

On Sunday evening, Miss Saunders of the International Institute in Lawrence, spoke at chapel, giving a stirring account of the work done among the foreign-born people at the institute.

On Wednesday a party of girls enjoyed an all-day horseback ride, with lunch cooked in the open; and another party a delightful all-day "hike".

Dr. Rosalie Morton of New York, whose talks on Serbia and the Serbians stirred many people of Andover last year, will speak at Sunday evening chapel. Dr. Morton is responsible for the raising of money to educate in this country fifty able young Serbians who will go back to help reconstruct their own nation.

The pupils of Miss Dabell gave a delightful exhibition of their year's work in rhythmic expression in Davis Hall, Thursday afternoon.

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## SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEET

(Continued from page 1)  
of the building committee and the superintendent.  
The budget for March was approved.  
General Expenses \$436.00  
Expenses of Instruction 7,012.41  
Expense of Operation 1,632.07  
Maintenance 48.88  
Auxiliary Agencies 322.86  
Miscellaneous 439.63  
Totals \$10,081.82

## Guild Girls Lost

The Andover Guild Girls were defeated at basketball Saturday on the local gym floor by the "Y. W." Industrial girls of Lawrence 11-10.  
The Guild girls led until near the end when the visitors made three baskets and won.  
The Guild line-up was: Annie Ness Jr.; Jean MacLeish; H. Etta Brown, side center; Nettie Pritchard, jumping center; Ruth Pritchard, rg; Sadie MacLeish, lg. Miss Viola Cashman was scorer.

## ANNUAL MAY BREAKFAST

(Continued from page 1)  
chan, Miss Joan MacLeish and Miss Marie Brady.  
Abbot table—Mrs. Carl Elander, Mrs. Clare Norton, Mrs. M. E. Dalton, Mrs. W. J. Mitchell, Miss Abbie Burr, Miss Viola Cashman, Miss Caroline Cole, Miss Lily R. Harris, Miss Caroline Berry, Mrs. Clarence Gray and Miss Almina Harris.  
Children's table—Mrs. Henry A. Wright assisted by Misses Priscilla Coleman, Doris Gates, Viola Gates, Florence Sanborn and Elsie Livingston, Mrs. Franklin Valentine, Mrs. John A. Collins, Mrs. Charles Emerson and Mrs. Howard Conkey.  
Kitchen—Mrs. Elmer Davis, Mrs. Horace Eaton, Mrs. Edward Cole.  
Supply tables—Mrs. W. L. Frye, Mrs. Fred Blaisdell, Mrs. George Mearns, Miss Sadie Hobbs.  
Candy and cake—Mrs. Andrew McTernan, Miss Margaret McTernan.  
Aprons—Mrs. Edwin R. Eastman.  
Silvers—Mrs. Alex Crockett, Mrs. F. M. Smith, Mrs. Elmer Conkey, Miss Jennie Thompson.  
Coffee—Mrs. French of the Quimby Company, Boston.  
Ticket—Mrs. Buxton, Ballard Holt, Wm. Frye, Elmer Philbrick.  
Supply room—Mrs. Mary Valentine, Miss Charlotte Collins, Mrs. Elmer Philbrick.  
Flowers—Mrs. Nellie Ralph, Mrs. David Lindsay.  
Dishes—Mrs. James Wadde, Mrs. James Kinneer, Mrs. James McCord.

## Help Celebrate Abbot Day Tomorrow

At various crises throughout its history, the friends of Abbot academy have come to its support—as at the time of the dedication of Smith Hall, when Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, by her great strawberry festival, raised enough money for its furnishings. The needs of the school have changed with the times, and it is now the effort of the donors to raise a Loyalty Endowment Fund which shall accumulate until the centennial year, 1929, and thus furnish an income adequate to enable the school to maintain the position it holds among the best schools in the country.  
Hitherto, gifts to the fund have come almost entirely from the alumnae; but on May 6th the friends of the school are asked to join the alumnae all over the country in celebrating the 93rd anniversary of the "first day" of the school, by contributing materially toward her Twentieth Century needs.  
The centers of the celebration in Andover will be—as announced last week—bridge parties at the home of Mrs. T. Dennis Thomson and at Abbot Academy (those who would like tables, and have not yet made arrangements, should telephone Miss Bancroft, Tel. 23, Tables 4-20); and a historical exhibition in the John-Erber Gallery; and in the evening at eight o'clock, Davis Hall, where Miss Ethel Priscilla Potter will read a program of unusual interest, and a string quartet from Boston will play (admission \$1.00).

## St. Catherine's Guild Plans Attractive Entertainment Program

Three years ago, Mrs. Mary S. Root, children's librarian of the Providence Public Library, came and told stories for the annual entertainment of St. Catherine's Guild. Those present on this occasion will recall the delighted interest in which she held an audience composed of people varying in age from five to seventy. It was hard to say which listened most absorbedly, Grandmother, or Grandchild. Talent and charm which can appeal to young and old alike is not common, accomplished story-tellers are few, and Mrs. Root is in demand from Maine to Philadelphia.  
So, with confidence that they are offering an unusual pleasure, St. Catherine's Guild of Christ Church announces that Mrs. Root is again coming to tell stories to all who care to hear, in the parish-house of Christ church, on Thursday evening, May 11, at a quarter to eight.

## Junior Extension Work at Stowe School Commended by Judges

The work of the Stowe school sewing club and handicraft club was judged last Friday afternoon by state and county leaders who commended its quality, pronouncing it above the average found in other towns of the state. A charter with a gold seal was given the sewing club by Miss Murdoch, county club leader, who said that it was one of the few "banner" clubs which she had inspected, all its members having satisfactorily completed the required work.  
The sewing, handicraft and poultry clubs are a part of the junior extension work carried on by the Massachusetts Department of Agriculture. A definite plan of work is laid out, the requirements to be fulfilled between December and May when state and county agents visit the exhibits and award the prize cards.  
Ten girls of the seventh and eighth grades of the Stowe School joined the Sewing club and have attended the Monday afternoon meetings held regularly since the last of December under the leadership of Miss Bernice Stimpson. Each girl was required to make an apron, darn ten stockings, do fifty hours housework and make one of the following articles to be hemmed by hand: kimono, bloomers, nightgown, rompers, chemise, drawers, corset cover. The final exhibit was to include one garment or one apron showing hand hemming, one darned stocking and a written story of her work for the club.  
The members of the club are Edna Albers, Grace Chapman, Viola Gates, Beatrice Henderson, Gwendolyn Braddon, Christina Cairnie, Eleanor Keith, Margaret Petrie, Marjorie West and Hilda Rice. The officers of the club are: president, Margaret Petrie; secretary, Viola Gates; treasurer, Grace Chapman.  
Prize cards were awarded by Miss Murdoch, county club leader, as follows: first, Gwendolyn Braddon; second, Marjorie West; third, Beatrice Henderson.  
Under the leadership of Carl Merrill Gahan, teacher of manual training, six boys completed the work in the handicraft club; namely, one useful article, one toy, and one job of repair work. The articles shown included book-end, taboret, bookcase, clock, sled, costume, knife box, tool chest, boat and many other articles.  
The work was judged by W. F. Howe, state agent from Amherst who awarded prize cards as follows: Charles Remick, first; Edward Gagon, second; Philip Clemons, third. Other members of the club are Norman Howard, Alfred Morse and Paul Simons.  
Eggs were exhibited by Charles Remick, William McCoubrie, William Lord and Abraham Hurwitt, members of the Poultry club. These were judged by Stanley Dequoy, county agent, who awarded prize cards as follows: first, William McCoubrie; second, William Lord; third, Charles Remick.  
At the final meeting of the sewing club Miss Bernice Stimpson was presented with a gold-mounted fountain pen by its enthusiastic members as a token of their appreciation of her work as leader.

## X. B. K. Entertainment

Alpha chapter X. B. K. of the South church held an entertainment in the South church vestry last Friday evening and were entertained by "movies," stereoscopic slides and refreshments.  
G. Edgar Folk had charge of the moving picture machine and showed on the screen three reels, one of Niagara Falls, a comic, "Bobby Bumps Inkertator," and camp life in the northwest. After the second reel, ice cream and cake were sold after which the third reel was run off and the stereoscopic pictures were shown.  
F. H. Foster gave a short lecture on the Yellowstone park, whose beauties and wonderful formations were pictured by many exquisite slides.

## The Permanent in the Movies

A most interesting and profitable afternoon was enjoyed by the members of the Dramatic department of the November Club and their friends last Friday afternoon when Mrs. Hilda Hedstrom Quirk of Boston spoke upon the movies.  
Mrs. Quirk has been actively engaged in improving the character of theatres as well as movies in the state, and strikes one as fair-minded and constructive in her point of view. She feels that it is far more important to look out for the movies than the theatres. Low-class theatres are generally attended by adults and are few in number. There are 750 movie theatres in Massachusetts and many thousands of children attend them each day.  
Movies of doubtful character are comparatively new. Up to about eight years ago Mrs. Quirk found the pictures most pleasant and above reproach. At that time vicious sex plays and other demoralizing types appeared.

The speaker favored State censorship of the movies, believing that the present forms of local censorship are not very effective from the corrective standpoint and often quite unfair to the manager who tries to hold up a high standard. She instanced a case where a play was taken off after the first night at the request of a committee of ladies in one town, only to be given in the next town where the people of the first town flocked to see the censored play, deserting the house of the obliging manager who had acceded to the request of the committee.  
Mrs. Quirk feels that national censorship would be too drastic; so much capital is involved in the industry that too sudden and too radical treatment might be disastrous. With state censorship a great improvement could easily be made. Many plays, indeed most plays, would be all right with a slight snipping and pasting together again of the film. Even plays made for children often have some one little thing of no consequence to the story which is offensive in some way.  
Mr. Resnik attended the lecture and the audience was much interested in various discussions between him and Mrs. Quirk. While not always in accord, each one was most courteous and gracious in listening to the other's point of view.

## Postal Improvement Week

Postal improvement week is being observed at the local post office, Postmaster McDonald, his assistant, the clerks, and carriers, are working hard to assist the Postmaster General to improve the service.  
All mail for business houses and factories received during the morning, is being tied in bundles, with a slip attached, requesting the heavy mailers to assist the office by packing and tying mail deposited for dispatch. Full-hearted co-operation is being received by the department from the heavy mailers.  
An added feature established during improvement week is an information bureau for the benefit of patrons and travelers. Internal revenue forms, motor registration blanks, Boston & Maine time tables, map of good roads, Automobile bus book, list of hotels, business houses, schools, churches, and town officers are to be found upon application at the postmaster's office. The services of this bureau are offered to the public in locating loved ones.  
Signs have been placed in the lobby requesting the public to assist in keeping the Andover Post Office the cleanest in the County. The street letter boxes have been given a fresh coat of paint and new time cards placed therein.  
The carriers are checking all houses without boxes, and it is hoped that Andover will be one of the 100 per cent box and receptacle towns by Saturday the 6th.  
Postmaster McDonald extends a most cordial invitation to the citizens of Andover to call and inspect the Andover Post Office on Friday and Saturday between hours of 9.30 and 7 p.m.

## Annual Meeting of Tye Rubber Co. Mutual Relief Association

The fourth annual meeting of the Tye Rubber Company Mutual Relief association was held in No. 1 factory on Monday evening, with James Skes, president, in the chair. After routine business, the treasurer, James Gillespie, submitted his annual report, which showed the association to be in a flourishing condition.  
The income for the year includes a sum of \$475.05 generously contributed by the Tye Rubber Co. The amount paid during the year for sick benefit was \$1050, leaving a balance of \$791.84 in the treasury, which shows a gain on the year's transaction of \$319.09. The amount of sick benefit paid since organization is \$7,425.00. The report, which was considered highly satisfactory, was unanimously adopted. The directors voted to place on record a vote of thanks to the Tye Rubber Company for its liberality in contributing to the funds of the association. Everett Hilton, superintendent, who has always taken a deep interest in the association, replied that the company was always glad to help in the good work which is being accomplished by the association and wished it continued success.  
The officers elected were: president, James Skes; vice-president, Ernest King; secretary, Thomas Ewing; treasurer, James Gillespie, Sr.; directors: David A. Forbes, George Mitchell and George Fyfe.

## Physical Education in the Andover Public Schools

Physical training has been sadly neglected in our public schools. In our anxiety to accomplish great results in intellectual advancement we have cut out such exercise, and because of this, we have denied to the school children the opportunity for outdoor activity and physical exercise.  
Many of our people think, because of the existence of the Andover Guild, that there is no need of physical instruction in the schools. This may be true, but how many children out of the whole number in the public schools go to the Andover Guild? Only a small percentage, as was shown at the exhibition last week. There are many children who because of the fee, although it is small, cannot afford to take the advantages offered.  
What is Old Punctard doing? A few years ago a gymnasium was talked of. I know how pleased I was at the thought of having a gymnasium. The matter was dropped. It was thought to be too expensive. There are a few citizens in Andover who, because their sons and daughters have this advantage at Phillips and Abbot Academies, do not think that the other children have need of it.  
Just let us imagine that Old Punctard is fitted out into a gymnasium. Would we see as many girls out running around in the afternoon and evening? I do not think so. They would put all their interest into their daily work. On the other hand, we should see healthy, sensible-looking girls. How could they better learn clean sport and clean living than through gymnasium? This does not only apply to the girls but to the boys as well.  
As for the elementary school children, the gymnasium teacher could go from room to room and carry out a varied program of physical exercises and dances. It is in the elementary schools that physical exercise is needed most, as that is the age at which the children are growing, and many of them have drooping heads, flat chests, projecting shoulders, and other deformities in consequence of the neglect of physical training.  
When these facts are brought forward, no parents can deny but what they want to obtain advantages for their children that the children of other towns have. Therefore, I am waiting for the people of Andover to wake up and look with me into the future with reasonable hope and joyous expectation for a gymnasium.

## Mary F. Robertson

Free Church News

At a recent business meeting it was voted to offer the use of the Free Christian Church to Frederick G. Wilson for his ordination to the Christian Ministry. Mr. Wilson is well-known in Andover, being the son of Rev. F. A. Wilson, pastor emeritus of the Free Church. He graduates in a few days from Union Theological Seminary in New York and has been called to the pastorate of the Congregational Church in Richmond, Mass. The following Committee has been named to have the service of Ordination in Charge: Charles B. Baldwin, John C. Angus, Robert V. Deyermund, [Rev. Arthur S. Wheelock,

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10.30. Morning worship. Sermon by the minister. Reception of members and communion.  
12.10. Church school.  
6.30. Christian Endeavor.  
7.30. Monday. I. B. G. society.  
7.45. Wednesday. Midweek service.

## WEST CHURCH

Congregational. Organized 1836  
Rev. Newman Matthews

10.30. Public Worship with the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.  
12.00. Sunday School.  
7.00. Christian Endeavor Meeting, with an address by Mr. Henry Grimes, President of the Lawrence Christian Endeavor Union.  
7.45. Wednesday. Meeting for Prayer and Conference.  
7.45. Friday. Choir Rehearsal under the direction of Miss Lillian Pike.

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9.30. Sunday School at Pashody House.  
10.30. Morning Service with sermon by Mr. Stackpole.  
6.30. Organ Music by Mr. Platteicher.  
6.15. Vesper Service with address by Principal Stearns.

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Second Sunday of month, Communion day for Knights of Good Council.  
Third Sunday of month, Communion day for Holy Name Society.  
Fourth Sunday of month, Communion day for Children of Mary.  
Holy Name Society meets first Monday evening of each month.  
Sacred Heart Sodality meets first Friday evening of each month.  
Knights of Good Council meet second Wednesday evening of each month.  
Promoters of Propagation of the Faith meet Thursday evening of each month.  
After have meet first Monday evening of each month.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

Main Street  
Organized

10.30. Morning worship with preaching by Rev. T. E. Coburn of Brimstone, Mass.  
12.00. Bible School with classes for all.  
6.30. Christian Endeavor.  
7.15. Monday. Preaching Service.  
7.45. Wednesday. Prayer and Conference Meeting. Subject: "Life," John 1: 1-14.  
8.00. Thursday. Mission Circle meet with Mrs. Mary S. Jackson, 11 School St.

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### The Traffic Cop the Index Finger

The following communication comes to us with initials only signed, but it is so pat and praiseworthy we adopt it as our own idea, crediting the words to "W. E. B." unknown.

"In the great cities, the average traffic officer is courteous and efficient. His manner is quiet, unobtrusive, and dignified. His well-modulated, yet firm voice carries with it that amount of authority and assurance which makes him and the community which he represents respected.

"How different is the average smaller-town policeman. He is usually surly and often positively discourteous. His brusque manner and blustering words bespeak the bully that he is. Although his authority is no greater than that of any other officer, he endeavors to make everyone with whom he comes in contact believe him to be endowed with some extraordinary power.

"The traffic officer is the representative of the community which employs him. Through him, the people of the locality greet their visitors and upon him depends the visitors' impression of the community. You would not for an instant allow your maid or butler to greet your guests with brusque or rude words. How would you feel if upon ringing the bell, the door was opened by a servant who said gruffly, 'Get off the doorbell,' or 'Wipe your feet'?

"Even now, at the outskirts of Andover, there are stationed policemen upon whom the responsibility of guarding a dangerous and trying place in the street has lately fallen. This is an excellent opportunity for these men to show the passing world what kind of people live here. These officers can either make a good impression on motorists or they can inflict themselves, to the detriment of the town, on travellers. Andover expects her representatives to be a credit to her and while she may be quick to condemn, she will be even quicker to praise."

### A Good Suggestion

The communication published elsewhere from Judge Bell is a timely contribution to a discussion of the town's problems. The main point that the Judge emphasizes should never be lost sight of, and we don't believe it is being lost sight of by those who have the real welfare of the town at heart. It may be that one of the practical things to have done is what the Judge suggests, in taking advantage of the statutes and creating a planning board. So far as a man has authority to handle his own property this would have little effect upon the operations of those in control of things in Shawheen Village. It might, however, harmonize the planning there with the general town problem, in an effective way, and we doubt if there is anyone who would be more interested in this form of oversight than Mr. Wood and his associates in Shawheen Village.

We trust that those who advocate a better control of this situation, brought about by changing conditions in Shawheen Village and the relation of those conditions to the town at large, will join with Judge Bell in showing a confidence in the town, and in the town's ability to meet these issues. The town is not going to the dogs just because it is spending some money, but we believe it is possible for the money to be expended so that it will head more rapidly and directly toward greater prosperity and a strengthening grip upon its citizens because it does some things that are clearly essential.

### Editorial Cinders

The Board of Public Works has chosen to approve granite block for the entire distance of the improvement on Main Street in the center of the town, with a contract that takes practically the entire appropriation of \$100,000. Undoubtedly it is possible to take care of incidentals and secure the whole clean-up of the job, it is wise to use this type of construction. The only practical difficulty to follow this installation, as against a type of smooth concrete surfacing, is the occasional failure to completely fill all of the openings between the blocks, with the result that dust forms in such places, sooner or later becoming a dust nuisance in the

highway. Now that the Board has selected this type of surfacing they have the full responsibility to see that they secure a job not open to this kind of difficulty. Aside from this fact most of the advantages lie with the granite block paving, and certainly a very large factor of long life and service makes it a desirable type of work to undertake.

Nothing could have better shown in a clear light the ridiculous position of the fickle public when it comes to paying taxes, than the Collier cartoon in the Herald of Thursday morning, following the refusal of the Legislature to approve a gasoline tax. Within a week the oil companies have increased the price of gasoline a cent a gallon, and I doubt if a single person who reads the Townsman has heard that mentioned. The result of that increase is without question to add still further dividends to the Standard Oil magnates, and the public takes it as a matter of course. The result of a gasoline tax of one cent a gallon would have put two million dollars on new highways in the State of Massachusetts in the next twelve months. Now as a real matter of fact, the public would have said no more against the gasoline tax for highway improvement than it says against an increase of a cent a gallon to fill the coffers of the oil companies, but a lot of weak-kneed legislators thought the public would be disturbed and so they voted against it. The result, however, is a most disturbing one, for the road problem grows more serious every day, and the local burden, as Andover itself has so well found out, is looking for some relief to come only from the higher authority in State or Nation. Of course the failure to increase truck fees was another piece of cheap "truck"ing to a small group of agitators who secure their living by preying upon the prejudices of any class that becomes a problem needing regulation.

Bishop Lawrence said some excellent things about the advantage of prohibition, but one cannot help feeling that there was running through the suggestions made by the eminent divine a thought that there are incidental problems associated with the prohibition movement that are pretty serious and exacting in their call for attention. One cannot help feeling also that there is a not very remote relationship between the prohibition methods and the increasing number of murders, the overwhelming preponderance of news that once upon a time would have stamped most of those participating in such news as being disreputable, and the other publicity devoted to the number of stills that have been seized, cider raids that have been made, and bootleggers that have been detected. Add to this "what and why" problem the mounting cost for institutional control of the weak and unfortunate of all classes, and we must all be convinced that we are passing through an era foreboding and disturbing. The one great relief to it all is that the open saloon has passed. We may well hope with its passing that there will be removed from the influences that had much to do with young life, a very bad influence, and that the next generation will be free from this influence with none of the tastes that the present generation is showing very plainly. If that result does not come, there will be added to the present belief that many people have, a still stronger feeling that it might have been much wiser for the United States to have proceeded in its march toward prohibition in the orderly manner of a few steps at a time, rather than at the leap and bound that was made in connection with so many changes that came on account of the great war.

The forest fires of the past month have been almost unprecedented, in number and damage done. We are hearing of much carelessness and many causes that call for the drastic action which in some cases has been taken by

the authorities. Will the public never learn the mischief that lies in the match, never more serious than when dropped carelessly in the woods?

### Barnstormers to Present Comedy of English Life

The Barnstormers again come to the front on Tuesday night, at 8 o'clock, in the Town hall, present Hubert Henry Davies' "A Single Man." The play is a comedy of recent, almost present-day English life, in which Robin Worthington, a single man, decides to get married. After his own, and his sister-in-law's inappropriate, and unwise selections, he finally discovers, in a most unlooked for corner, the one person to make him happy.

There are many occasions to laugh; and there are a few, only a few, for those so minded, to shed a tear. The whole effect is very pleasing as well as thoroughly entertaining.

The cast, which is made up in part of old Barnstormers, well known to Andover audiences, includes also some unusually clever new talent. The training of the players has been in the hands of Frank H. Hardy. The cast follows:

Robin Worthington	A. B. LeBoutillier
Henry Worthington	F. W. H. Scott
Isabella Worthington	Mrs. F. W. H. Scott
Louise Parker	Mrs. Donald Appleton
Miss Haseltine	Miss Margaret Curran
Lady Cottrell	Mrs. Francis Kesay
Maggie Cottrell	Miss Alma Eaton
Dickie Cottrell	William Osgood
Bertha Simms	Miss Irene Odlin
Mrs. Andrew Lawrie	Mrs. Andrew Lawrie
Mrs. Henry Hopper	Mrs. Henry Hopper
Nurse	Mrs. Douglas Crawford

Tickets were distributed at the Town hall on April 25 to members presenting their cards. A large number of seats have thus been reserved though a few more are available at the Andover bookstore for those who have not yet had a chance to exchange their membership tickets for them. The membership dues in the organization this year, are \$1.50. Membership entitles one to two tickets. Those who have not yet had an opportunity to join may communicate with Frederick E. Cheever, Bancroft Road, or with any of the directors: Frank H. Hardy, Frederick E. Cheever, Mrs. Eben Baldwin, Nathan C. Hamblin, A. B. LeBoutillier, Miss Bell Joy Butterfield, Mrs. Donald Appleton, Douglas Crawford, Cornelius A. Wood.

### Abbot Day Comes Tomorrow

Ninety-three years ago tomorrow Abbot Academy first opened her doors to the girls of Andover. Wasn't your little great-grandmother one of the sunbonneted children who walked along the green country road that May morning so long ago, and looked with awe on the grand new school with its portico and stately white pillars?

There were Abbots, Ballards, Farnums, Fosters, Holts, Marlands, Goldsmiths among them, and surely she must have been there. For her sake, and for the sake of all the girls who have since gone in and out of that doorway, do something to help the Abbot Academy Fund on Abbot Day, tomorrow.

Miss Kate P. Jenkins is Town Chairman of Abbot Day activities.

You are urged to visit the Historical Collection at the John-Esther Gallery from 2 o'clock to 5. Admission 10 cents.

Also, you are urged to attend the Loyalty concert and reading at Davis hall at 8 o'clock.

It has been necessary to postpone one event until Saturday, May 13, the Loyalty Fund Food Bazaar, which will be held on the grounds of Miss Kate P. Jenkins, 116 Main street, opening at 2 o'clock. There will be no admission fee, and there will be found most attractive cookery to fill the baskets of the housekeepers. Afternoon tea will be served, there will be ice-cream cones and candy, and many things to draw the coins from your pockets. Mrs. John V. Holt is Chairman of the food Bazaar Committee, assisted by Miss Jane Carpenter, Mrs. Edgar Holt, Mrs. John Angus, Mrs. Douglas Crawford, Mrs. John Phillips.

Don't forget that Abbot Day comes tomorrow, May 6.

### Wire Takes Top on Two Cars

When a house, belonging to Mrs. Margaret W. Pearson on South Main street, was being moved along the Reading road last Tuesday afternoon the top of the house caught in a guy wire supporting one of the street railway poles near Batcheller's turnout and allowed the wire to sag across the street.

Nothing serious happened for several hours until about nine o'clock, when a big Tarvia truck owned by H. H. McGuire of Stoneham and operated by Joseph Stack of Everett, came lumbering along toward Andover, and keeping to the left of the road to allow Frank Richards to pass in the opposite direction, caught the wire in the top of the big cab, just before the Richards car came abreast.

The wire caught in both cars at almost the same moment, ripping the cab clean away from the big truck, and demolishing the windshield and top of the smaller car completely. Luckily both cars were going at a fairly slow rate of speed and could be stopped before any more serious damage was done. Miraculously both men escaped any serious injury.

The chief of police attended promptly to the matter, and the wire was fixed so that traffic could pass without danger.

### S. & D. Soccer Team Tendered Banquet

A banquet was tendered the Smith and Dove Soccer team by the Smith and Dove Athletic association at the clubhouse last evening.

Dinner was served at six o'clock by Caterer Weigel with the following menu: fruit cocktail, olives, celery, relishes, roast chicken, mashed potatoes, banana fritters, shrimp salad, rolls, frozen pudding, coffee and cigars.

Edward Anderson was master of ceremonies and remarks were made by President Joseph Connolly. Songs were contributed to the entertainment by John Deyermund, Walter Murphy, Charles Fettes, William Deyermund, William Hyde, Harry Bland, William Sterling and Peter Doherty.

Among those present were John Coleman, captain; John Nicoll, Charles Skeas, Peter Cairnie, William Stirling, John Deyermund, William Deyermund, George Killackey, William Lowe, James Lowe, Walter Murphy, Willis Craik, William Broderick, William Gordon, Robert Campbell, George Haddon, Peter Doherty, Frank Nicoll, Benjamin Hyde, James Caldwell, Edward Anderson, and Joseph Connolly.

The officers of the Smith and Dove Soccer team are: president, William Hyde; executive committee, Charles Fettes, Alexander Anderson Jr., Harry Bland and Edward Anderson.

More than 2,000,000 men and women in the United States past 50 years of age are unmarried.

### Card of Thanks

The Woman's Relief Corps wishes to thank all who contributed so generously of food and money also the townspeople for their patronage and everyone who helped to make the May breakfast such a splendid success.

Owners of bean pots or dishes can get them at the Town hall until Friday; after that time they will be taken to the G. A. R. hall and may be obtained by notifying Mrs. Valentine or on regular meeting nights which are on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

MRS. JOSEPH H. NUCKLEY  
For the Committee

### New Location for Trap Shooting

The Andover Fish and Game club will soon have a new trap shooting location when early next week its equipment will be moved from Shawheen Village to Brothers Field.

The executive committee at the invitation of Dr. P. S. Page, physical director at Phillips academy, met last week in the Peabody house and arranged for the transfer of the equipment. A number of students interested in trap shooting and fishing were present and organization of an Academy club will be effected. Percival Dove was

appointed to look after the trap shooting and John Deignan the fishing.

The traps will be located where the trenches were and the academy authorities have already started to clear off the land.

A prize shoot at the new traps will be held on Memorial day.

### Division 6, A. O. H. Holds Whist Party

After the regular meeting of the local division, A. O. H., held in the Knights of Columbus hall Monday night a whist party was held which was open to the public.

Prizes were awarded as follows: Lady's, first, a bag, Miss Alice Heferson; second, Mrs. Patrick Brady, box of chocolates; third, Miss Mary Dunn, a scarf; gentlemen's first, ham, Peter Cashan; second, pocket-book, Leo Driscoll; consolation, Edward Downes.

The affair was in charge of Patrick Brady, president, Michael J. O'Connor, Malachi Lynch, James Flannery and Phillip Pasho.

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While Miami Dreams—Fox Trot	Joseph C. Smith and His Orchestra	12877
Tell Her at Twilight—Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra	12878
Old Fashioned Girl—Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra	12879
Little Grey Sweetheart of Mine—Med. Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra	12880
Bygone—Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra	12881
By the Sunshine Sea—Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra	12882
My Mammy Knows—Fox Trot	The Benson Orchestra of Chicago	12883
Angel Child—Fox Trot	The Benson Orchestra of Chicago	12884
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WEDNESDAY, MAY 10  
ROY STEWART IN "THE HEART OF THE NORTH"  
GEORGE WALSH IN "WITH STANLEY IN AFRICA"

THURSDAY, MAY 11  
SHIRLEY MASON IN "LITTLE MISS SMILES"  
ALL STAR IN "THE CALL OF HOME"

FRIDAY, MAY 12  
EDMOND COBB IN "THE DESERT SCORPION"  
CORINNE GRIFFITH IN "MORAL FIBRE"

SATURDAY, MAY 13  
ALICE LAKE IN "KISSES"  
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CHARLES HUTCHINSON IN "GO GET 'EM HUTCH"

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Roasting Chicken	45c lb.
Fresh Pork Shoulders	19c lb.
Fancy Brisket Corn Beef	25c lb.
Heavy Steer Beef	
Native Cucumbers	2 for 25c
Lettuce Tomatoes Onions	
Cabbage	
Boneless Pot Roasts	20c lb.

### Punchard Senior Class to Give Play

The Senior class of Punchard will give Booth Tarkington's "Clarence", a play in four acts in the Town hall Friday evening, June 9. There is considerable talent in the class and a strong cast has been chosen which is being coached by Prin. N. C. Hamilton.

Mrs. Hartyn  
Mrs. Wheeler  
Mrs. Wheeler  
Bobby  
Cora  
Violet, a governess  
Clarence  
Della, a maid  
Dorinda, a valet  
Herbert Stein  
Miss Frances Dalton, prompter

Stowe School 13, Breen School 3

The Stowe school baseball nine played the Breen school of Lawrence on the playground Saturday afternoon and defeated the visitors 13 to 3.

The young lads coached by Mr. Draper, teacher of history, are playing good baseball and are shaping up well for making the Punchard team next year.

The lineup is given below:  
Stowe—F. Blunt p, Lawrence c, Livingstone 1b, Swenson 2b, Murphy ss, Doyle 3b, Stone lf, F. Gallant cf, Waycott rf, R. Blunt rf.

Breen—Walker 3b, Holdstrom p, Migninis 2b, Penny 1b, Sullivan ss, Daly lf, Rhodes cf, Gill c, Martell rf, Donnelly sub.

## AMATEUR DRAMATICS (Continued from page 1)

punch, Mrs. Douglas Hutcheson and Miss Margaret Haddon.

### P. A. Dramatics

The Phillips Academy dramatic club successfully presented three short plays in the town hall last Saturday evening before a full house.

The three plays, the fifth act of Clyde Fitch's "Beau Brummel," Shaw's "The Shewing-Up of Blanco Posnet" and Lord Dunsany's "Glittering Gate" gave great variety to the program and all showed the careful study which had been given to the presentation under the direction of Harold Stearns of the Phillips Academy faculty.

The first offering, the fifth act of "Beau Brummel," was perhaps the most pleasing. The part of the dandy of the days of George IV, the leader of a brilliant social circle reduced to dire poverty and forsaken by his friends was consistently portrayed by J. V. Reed. He was ably supported by B. D. Rindlaub as Mortimer, the faithful servant. The ladies in this group were quite convincing especially the gentle Mariane and were able to sustain their parts in spite of the very appreciative if somewhat disconcerting applause which greeted their appearance.

### BEAU BRUMMEL

J. V. Reed  
B. D. Rindlaub  
Kathleen  
E. H. Haight  
J. V. Scalfie  
F. W. Gilchrist  
H. G. Dorman Jr.  
Scene: An attic room in Calais, France  
Time: Between 1820 and 1830

### THE SHEWING UP OF BLANCO POSNET

Blanco Posnet  
Elder Daniels  
The Sheriff  
Strapper Kemp  
Freem Evans  
Betsey  
Lottie  
Hannah  
Wagoner Jo  
The Mother  
Foreman of the Jury  
Nestor, an Old Jurymen  
Other Jurymen  
H. S. Crosby, J. H. Durgin, L. B. Wells  
Scene: The court-room in a frontier town of the West.  
Time: Not so long ago

### THE GLITTERING GATE

Jim, formerly a burglar (dead)  
Bill, formerly a burglar (dead)  
Scene: A lonely place  
Time: The present

### Knights of Columbus Play

A large and appreciative audience greeted the presentation of the comedy drama "The Dust of the Earth" given by the Knights of Columbus Dramatic club in the town hall last Friday evening.

The story of the play centers around Nell, a little girl with no surname who is brought up in the family of David Moore. Full of life and spirit she is made the butt of the attacks of Miss Arabella, the village gossip, and decides to leave the Moore's. She is irresistibly drawn to the mystery cabin in the woods near the home of David Moore where, wandering Tom, supposedly dead, lives with old Morse, his faithful colored companion.

Wearing a dress of her mother's, the old man recognizes Nell as his daughter and a reconciliation takes place. The acting in this scene was particularly good, with Miss Alice Higgins as Nell, John L. Dugan as wandering Tom, and Raymond English as John Ryder, the young master of Maple Farm, who loves Nell and finally marries her.

Arthur Leary as Jerry, the son of Farmer Moore and lover of Miss Arabella, provided the comedy. Miss Anna Winters, Miss Anna Hennessey, Miss Anna Brady all took their parts well and with Miss Higgins were presented with beautiful bouquets in appreciation of their success.

The parts of David Moore and Rev. Dr. Templeton were well portrayed by Frank S. McDonald and John Alexander, and much credit is due Herbert W. Ford for the able manner in which he again directed the club.

During the evening vocal solos were sung

### Births

April 28, 1932, a son, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holt of South Main street.  
April 29, 1932, a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stein of Mainland street, Ballardvale.  
April 30, 1932, a son, to Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Townsend, River street, Ballardvale.

by Miss Margaret Webb of Lawrence with Joseph Tomaselli, pianist of Dwyer's orchestra, accompanist.

### The cast:

David Moore, of Maple Farm cottage  
Susan Moore, his wife  
Elizabeth Moore, his daughter  
Jerry, his son  
Rev. Dr. Templeton  
Miss Arabella, the village gossip  
John Ryder, young master of Maple Farm  
Wandering Tom, a mystery  
Old Morse, his companion  
Nell, the "Dust of the Earth"  
Act 1—Interior of Maple Farm cottage.  
Act 2—Interior of Maple Farm cottage.  
Act 3—Wandering Tom's cabin.  
Act 4—Same as act 2.

Dancing was enjoyed after the play, music being furnished by Dwyer's orchestra. The committee which worked hard for the success of the affair was Timothy Madden, John Pickles, Michael Byrne and Frank S. McDonald.

### Wedding

#### ROHDIN-LUNDGREN

The wedding of Miss Amy Isabel Lundgren, youngest daughter of Mrs. Anne Lundgren of Whitsett street and Adolph Albert Rohdin, son of Capt. and Mrs. Albert Rohdin of Nantucket took place on Saturday evening at 6:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother.

The ceremony was performed before an arch trimmed with evergreen and flowers by Rev. E. H. Prescott, of Newburyport, formerly pastor of the Baptist church in this town, and was witnessed by a large gathering of friends and relatives.

The bride was charming, dressed in white embroidered tulle, with a veil caught up with orange blossoms. She carried a beautiful shower bouquet of bride's roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Lena Lundgren who was dressed in turquoise blue crepe de chine and carried tea roses. The best man was Norman Griffin.

Six little flower girls of the bride's Sunday school class, dressed in white, made an aisle through which the wedding party passed to the music of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by Miss Hazel Rohdin, assisted by Henry P. Kelley on the violin. The little girls were Dora Dennison, Hilda Rice, Beatrice Stevens, Esther Craig, Irene Curtin and Lydia Wade.

The bride was given away by her brother Everett M. Lundgren, and the double ring service was used.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at which the young couple received the congratulations of a large number of friends who came from Nantucket, Gloucester, Roslindale, Boston, Worcester, New York, New Bedford, Brockton, Arlington, Newport, R. I., Jamestown, R. I., Lynn, Reading, Lawrence and Andover. Caterer Weigel served a dainty wedding supper and a wedding cake was cut by the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Rohdin left shortly afterwards for a trip through New York after which they will reside at Narragansett Pier where Mr. Rohdin is petty officer in the coast guard service.

The bride is a graduate of the Punchard school and for several years has held a position in the tariff bureau of the Boston and Maine railroad office in Boston. She has also been a prominent worker at the Baptist church.

Tourists spent approximately \$35,000,000 in Colorado during 1931.

The high prices asked for coal by American operators and dealers, together with the high freight rates, has resulted in British soft coal being bought in large quantities for general consumption in New York and Boston and the West Indies. The markets of the West Indies have been in the hands of American exporters for 40 years.

The "peace dollar" is the name of the new silver dollar now being coined in the Philadelphia mint. On the back of the new coin is the figure of an eagle, standing on a mountain top. An olive branch, which is symbolic of the Washington conference, lies near the eagle. Back of the mountain shines the rays of the sun of a new era. A new head of the Goddess of Liberty, with the words "Liberty" and "In God We Trust" is found on the front of the coin.

"Los Angeles-on-Thames" might well be the name of a film city, which is springing up at Walton-on-Thames, England. Six large studios and other buildings are being erected on a fine old English estate. In the small kitchen of a house in Hurst Grove at Walton, Cecil Hepworth, the pioneer of British film production, made his first motion picture 21 years ago. The Thames Valley scenery is beautiful and is said to be well adapted to the industry.

## NOW THE CRANBERRY "FARM"

New and Successful Industry Has Been Developed of Late Years in the Pacific Northwest.

Shortage in the cranberry crop in other parts of the United States last year has focused attention upon this new industry of the Pacific Northwest, which promises to furnish strong competition for the product of the eastern part of the American continent, as described in Popular Mechanics Magazine. After years of experimentation and selection and the development of artificial growing areas the states of Washington and Oregon have come to the front as producers of cranberries in large commercial quantities.

Lewis and Clark, in the log of their trip across the continent in the early part of the Nineteenth century, mention the fine flavor of the wild cranberries purchased from the Indians along Columbia river. Cultivation of the wild cranberry bogs was not attempted until about thirty-five years ago, and continued in a desultory manner until recently, when a successful means of preparing growing ground was developed.

Preparation of cranberry ground in the Pacific Northwest is an expensive undertaking, the cost being around \$1,000 an acre. A wild marsh is selected, drained by ditches, cleared of trees and brush, then the turf is removed by what is called the "scalping" process, laying bare the peat of the bog. Over the peat is spread a four-inch layer of clean white sand. Planting is the next proceeding. Vine cuttings are used for this purpose and are pressed through the sand into the peat with a dibble or planting tool. The vines are planted ten inches apart, which makes about 60,000 to the acre.

## WILL DEVELOP JET INDUSTRY

Company Formed to Work Large Deposits Recently Found in Wayne County, Utah.

What is believed to be the first jet deposit to be developed in the United States is now being successfully mined in Wayne county, Utah, where recently mineralogists discovered the largest commercial body of the mineral known to exist in the world. Singularly, discovery of the jet was accidentally made by a party of miners engaged in assessment work for a copper company. The work of mining the jet began late in the summer of last year and, with financial backing assured, is expected to develop into great proportions.

At the present time the work of mining the mineral is more or less crudely done, but it is the intention of the owners of the decidedly valuable deposits soon to install modern machinery and develop the industry into the largest of its kind in the world.—Baltimore American.

### Smoking at Washington.

The Japanese were the most incessant smokers of all the visitors to the conference on limitation of armaments, said a newspaper man who attended the meetings. Baron Kato seldom is seen without a cigarette, and quite frequently lights one with another. Prince Tokugawa does likewise, while the diminutive Mr. Dubuchi is never seen without a cigarette. Mr. Hanihara is more temperate in his use of the weed. There was never any prohibition about smoking in the Japanese conference rooms. Mr. Hughes prohibits smoking when the correspondents gather. They park their partly smoked weeds on the outside. The Chinese never offered any objection to the cloud-filled conference rooms. For the French, M. Briand was the principal user of tobacco and when he was not in a plenary session where no one is permitted to smoke, he never was seen without his Turkish cigarette.

### Niagara's Future City.

An idea which has occurred to many minds since the last "harnessing" of Niagara falls was clearly put by a speaker before the Engineers' society of New York. It is that most of the electric power obtained from the falls will be used within a few miles of its place of origin instead of being transmitted to distant cities. In other words, it is believed that at and near the falls will be situated the future industrial center of America. It would be theoretically possible, it is stated, to transmit power from Niagara as far as San Francisco, but the cost would be prohibitive. It is much cheaper to locate factories near the falls.

### Dire Threat.

Bartholomew had been very naughty, and at last in despair his mother shut him up in a large cupboard, wherein were stored all sorts of articles. He immediately began to bellow and stamp and make a terrific noise generally. Finally silence ensued, and his mother who was just showing his auntie out remarked as they passed the cupboard "I think Bartie has broken the record this time!"

"Yes" came the unexpected rejoinder from within. "I have, an' if you don't let me out I'll smash the machine as well!"—Detroit Free Press.

### Impressing the Visitors.

You never can tell what will impress the stranger within the gates. The foreign correspondents "doing" the conference were curious spectators of congressional proceedings when the President delivered his message, but the thing that most attracted their attention was the sight of William Allen White of Kansas sharpening a pencil as he sat in the press gallery and letting the shavings fall on the dignitaries below.—Manchester Union.

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## "Store Suit" No Longer Term of Reproach

The whole experience and history of garments sold over the counter has been that of increasing specialization. A "store suit" sixty years ago was a byword for mis-fitted clothing. Lincoln in his famous address at Cooper Union was unfatteringly characterized by the press as wearing a store suit. Similar conditions prevailed in women's clothing. The rise of the modern department store with its specialized ready-to-wear departments gradually has removed the stigma attached to store clothing. At present it is true that the carefully designed garments seen in the best stores take equal rank with the products of Paris and Fifth Avenue dressmakers.

This improvement has been gradual and has been brought about by a combination of two things—the demand for good and stylish clothing by increasing numbers of women, and the ability of the modern store to fill the need.

Along with this demand came a problem that could be solved only by experiment. To fit the few women who could claim the "perfect 36" was a simple task for the garment-maker. Nevertheless, he had to dress the masses diverging in every way from the ideal proportion. Particularly in America must this have been a difficult obstacle to overcome. For two and a half centuries this land has been a melting pot for European races. At present this is more true than ever before, varying from the short heavy Slav

to the tall Scandinavian. In such a heterogeneous people variations in size and proportion are bound to be many.—Dry Goods Economist.

Motor truck transportation has cut into the business of British railways so severely that several lines contemplate running trucks themselves.

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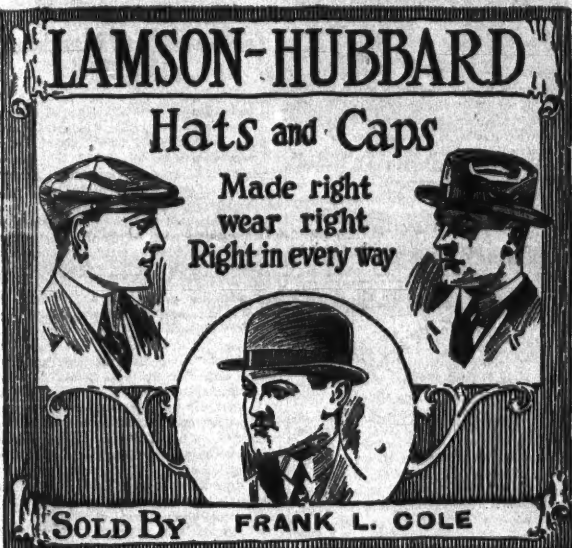
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## LITTLE SHORT OF MIRACLE

If Story Is True, This Englishman's  
Middle Name Must Surely Be  
Good Luck.

Lying on a path 18 months a leather wallet containing over \$140 was found by the loser after being noticed by hundreds that passed each day, writes an English correspondent. A dining-car conductor on the Great Western railway, who lives at Southall, left home one morning in June, 1920, and went to Old Oak Common, near Acton, where the dining cars are stored. From Acton station he walked through a private path used by the railway staff and leading to Old Oak carriage sheds. Later he went to Paddington station and worked the dining-car train to Plymouth. When he returned to London he discovered that he had lost his wallet. He had not the faintest idea where or how he had lost it, and although he made inquiries he could find no trace of it. The other morning he walked up the same private path on his way to work, as he has done scores of times since he lost the wallet, when he stopped for a moment, and looking on the bare ground just at the side of the path he was amazed to see his wallet lying there. He picked it up, and was further amazed to find that the contents had not been touched. The wallet was weather-beaten and the notes were soiled as though they had been soaked in rain, but when he found them they were dry. The path is used by hundreds of men every day.

## INVALUABLE AID IN COOKING

British Journal Points Out How the  
Use of Thermometer Will Help  
the Housewife.

Every housewife is aware that the actual cooking of a dish is a very important factor of success or failure. A "hot oven" and a "moderate oven" are often referred to, and testing by holding the hand inside for a few seconds is a method frequently employed. But there is no real dependency on such haphazard methods, since one person can bear much more heat than another. Therefore, in an efficient household a kitchen thermometer to register cooking heats should be considered as necessary as a clinical thermometer. There are two varieties of kitchen thermometers to be had. The cheaper kind is of white china, and can only be used for oven cooking. A more durable make, of brass, which costs a little more, can be used for testing frying fats, etc., and will not break so easily. An iron leg supports the thermometer, so that it stands upright and can be read at a glance when in the oven. Every degree of heat from low to high temperature is registered, and at the side the standard temperatures for cooking are printed.—Manchester Guardian Weekly.

Population in A. D. 2000.  
According to Dr. Edward A. Ross, by the year A. D. 2000 the population of the United States will number about 223,000,000. Extremists are painting vivid pictures of our country, pointing out that the condition of China, Japan and India will be rivaled here. They predict a starving country with too many inhabitants and too little space in which to house them. In their minds are scenes of war, famine and misery as a result.

On the other hand, John S. Sumner, secretary of the New York Society for the Suppression of Vice, says: "Overpopulation is not a menace to the peace of the world, because there is no overpopulation. It is not the physical fact of population, but the mental and spiritual condition of people which determine the question as a menace to continued peace."

Little-Known Washington Portrait.  
Discovery of a long-lost portrait of George Washington by the American artist, Gilbert Stuart, in New York city, directs attention to the Stuart portrait of Washington which hangs in Memorial hall in the State Library building at Hartford, Conn. It was bought direct from the artist by virtue of a resolution of the general assembly in May, 1800. The understanding was that it had been painted by order of a committee from South Carolina, and was then declined on the ground that it was not a portrait of Washington.

A committee from Connecticut conferred with Gilbert as to a Washington portrait, and purchased the one he had painted for South Carolina.

New Harbinger of Spring.  
There was a drumming roar above the city the other day, rising and waning and passing into distance. "Listen to her," said the man in the street, "that's the first plane I've heard for months. Sounds kind of good." His companion was equally pleased. "You know what that means, don't you?" he rejoined. "Means it's spring, that's what it means. We used to depend on the robins, but now a very different sort of bird flies when the weather gets decent again. Look at her, would you?" The gleam of a far-off wing as the plane banked, the sudden wind-borne stutter of sound, and spring's modern harbinger drifted beyond ken.—Portland Oregonian.

When She Has Gone.  
"Woman's place is at home, and she should stay there," was the opinion of the municipal board of Versailles, France, when, some little time back, they considered a proposal to admit women in the higher municipal posts. And the report says that women should not be encouraged to apply for administrative positions, but should remember that they were to do better to confine their activities to the home.

## WHEN SELF-LOVE IS WOUNDED

Then Is Called Into Play the Ugliest  
of All Human Passions, That  
of Jealousy.

Jealousy is the ugliest of all human passions—and the one which makes the greatest misery in the world. It is the outcome of egotism, the twin sister of vanity, and its brood are all the sorrows of the human race.

But what is jealousy when analyzed? It is the bitterness which arises either when someone else possesses that which we desire and cannot obtain, or the fear that what we possess may be taken from us by another. The very fact of our feeling fear shows that we know this other possesses a power stronger than our own—and this is a reflection upon our personal merit, and therefore a wound to our self-love, says Elfinor Glyn in the London Times.

Men and women are jealous when another approaches one they love—their natural egotism is wounded by the inference that this other has not realized their own worth, and dares to dispute their away—jealousy being roused to fury should the one they love respond to alien glances, because the wound to self-love is deeper still in that case, and the poison sinks into the very being.

But jealousy between the sexes is a more pardonable fault than any other form of the virus, because it goes back to the instinct of self-preservation and, in the broader sense, race-preservation, and although its indulgence produces misery and crime, its origin is not altogether base or wholly egotistical.

## "ANGEL" WANTED THE MONEY

Evidently Backer of Show Was Tired  
of Its Making Nothing but Good  
Impressions.

The manager of a burlesque show told the following incident of his theatrical career: "Fifteen years ago a certain Chicago 'angel' staked me to a small repertory show, instructing me to make one-night stands in Kansas. Our show was terrible, indeed, but finally we left Chicago."

"Our first stop was Topeka. After the night's performance I sent a telegram to my 'angel,' saying: 'Topeka receipts \$92.50. Made a good impression here.'"

"The next night we played in Hutchinson. After the show I wired: 'Hutchinson receipts \$32.50. Made a splendid impression here.'"

"The next night found our troupe in Chanute. My telegram that night read: 'Chanute receipts \$21. Made a wonderful impression here.'"

"Several hours later I was at the Chanute depot with my troupe when the telegraph operator handed me a telegram. It was from my 'angel.' The message said: 'Make one more impression—then come home.'"

Electioneering Expenses in France.  
Whereas electioneering in Great Britain is nothing like so expensive as it used to be, the tendency in France is all the other way, for there is no limit imposed on the amount a candidate may spend. In an article advocating the need of a law to restrict election expenses M. Jean Bernard remarks: "My old friend Floquet told me that in 1891, when he was first elected for the Eleventh arrondissement of Paris, the election cost him only 1,500 francs. At the general election of 1891, when he was defeated, Floquet spent 25,000 francs, and I had to spend even more than that when I stood for the same constituency in 1910. My opponent's victory on this occasion is said to have cost him 200,000 francs, and I believe that estimate to be by no means exaggerated."—Manchester Guardian.

To Tell If She Loves You.  
Some one has invented an instrument by which the quality of love may be measured by observing the exaggerated effect of the lover's presence on the heart action of his lady.

Such was the announcement of the Society for Electrical Development in describing the workings of the "telegraphone," an instrument by the use of which, its inventor declared, unhappy marriages would be prevented.

All that is necessary to insure results, the inventor explained, is for the doubtful swain to adjust the device over the heart of his intended, whisper a well-calculated word into her ear and watch the indicator. If it flutters violently, then all is well and the banns may be published, but if not, beware!

Improved Pumping Machine.  
On Isle, the municipal playground of Detroit, there is a peculiar pumping machine which was improvised for the purpose of draining the water from the canals on the island. These canals are drained and cleared of refuse each year in preparation for the skating season. The machine, says Popular Mechanics Magazine, is a box, three feet wide and twenty feet long, open at the ends and mounted on two wagon wheels at the center. At each end are two sprocket wheels. Endless chains pass over these sprockets and through the box. On the chains, at intervals of 14 inches, paddles are attached.

He Wasn't Saying.  
"You want a big army, battleships, submarines and airplanes merely for self-defense?"  
"Of course," said the diplomat.  
"And you have no thoughts of aggression against any other nation?"  
"None to speak of," replied the diplomat, stily.—Bir. Ingham Age-Herald.

## JEWEL BOX BURGLAR PROOF

Valuables May Be Accounted Safe  
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to-Date Receptacle.

Among the newest things that inventors have given us in the last few months is a box that comes as near to being burglar proof as it is possible to imagine. It looks like an ordinary steel box with a keyhole in its side. But just lift it or move it and a loud alarm bell begins to ring inside it. This bell keeps on ringing for five hours and it cannot be stopped without unlocking the box.

A burglar might carry off the box, but its alarm would keep on ringing and would give him away before he could get it to a place of safety. If he touches it, even stumbles against it, the alarm will arouse the household, for the slightest movement suffices to set it ringing. This is also true of the dishonest servant.

The owner can, however, open and close the box at will, as he has the key. And the only way in which he can be robbed is by some thief stealing the key before tampering with the box.

This safe is arranged inside with trays for small articles, money and jewelry and with space under them for securities, such as bonds and mortgages. The whole is made of seamless steel, nickel-plated, with a piano hinge and strong double lock. There are no duplicate keys, nor is there a master key that will open it.

## IMPORTING HOUSES NEW FAD

English Residences Centuries Old Are  
Actually Lived in by Wealthy  
New York Residents.

Several houses complete in every detail, dating from the sixteenth century, have recently been imported from England. Lovers of the antique may enjoy the unique experience of living in the actual rooms which were built and decorated three centuries or more ago, and be within convenient commuting distance of New York. Such homes are naturally expensive, for the original cost is not only considerable, but the cost of transportation, the tariff and the expense of rebuilding are naturally great.

An English firm makes a specialty of selling these houses and keeps a number of them on hand in their show place near London for inspection. When an old house is to be torn down to make room for some improvement, the building is bought in, usually for a nominal sum. After being carefully taken apart it is rebuilt in the show place near London, ready for the inspection of purchasers. If it is bought by an American, for instance, the house is once more taken down and packed with care for shipment. This work is done by experts, so that the parts, especially the woodwork, will not be injured. The English builders usually come to America to set up the house exactly as it originally stood in England. In some instances these old houses have been surrounded with English gardens, reproducing the original setting in England of centuries past.

Camps for Motorists.  
Here is the latest idea in camps for motorists, says the Popular Mechanics Magazine: An Oakland (Cal.) concern is spending no less than \$50,000 in erecting "bungalows" on an eight-acre tract to be let to motorists for the night or for any longer period "up to fifteen years" (as the management jokingly announces), which is the length of the lease on the land. These simple residences are designed to take the place of tents, and while their furnishings are meager compared with regular houses, they offer considerably more in the way of conveniences than is commonly offered by an ordinary tent. These bungalows are of two types, some with one room and some with two rooms. They are built entirely of wood, and are equipped with sinks, running water, electric lights, two-burner gas plates, etc.

Spring Beauties.  
One of the commonest varieties of flowers found after the snow has melted away is the Spring Beauty. The little blossoms are a very delicate pink. Each petal is lined with hair lines of deep pink. Some naturalists claim that these hair lines of deep pink are honey guides for insects, lines that point the way to the tiny sac of honey to be found in the center of the flower.

Although the stalk of the Spring Beauty is very slender, it is quite sturdy enough to support the two slim green leaves, in the base of which is held the flower, and a cluster of diminutive buds, each on a stem no larger than a fine thread.

An Unwelcome Dance.  
Lady Constance Stewart Richardson, whose bizarre dancing made her known in America, was married recently in oriental dress. There is a story about her and the duchess of Marlborough.

Once, at a charity concert at one of the great houses of London her host whispered to the duchess: "We're to have an extra number. Dear Lady Constance has consented to do her barefoot, Persian dance." "Oh, dear," the duchess cried. "I knew when I spilled the salt at dinner that something dreadful would happen before the night was over."

Jud Tunkins.  
Jud Tunkins says there is always a little something to be thankful for. Since fruit has gotten to be so expensive, there aren't nearly so many orange peels thrown on the sidewalk.

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Skeas, ss.  
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Blunt, 1.f. and 3b.  
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Reed R. r. f.

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C. E. Bonner  
p. and 2b., Lawrence  
2b. and p., Wrigley  
1b., A. Angell  
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3b., A. Warpo  
1.f. and 3b., C. G. G.  
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Wm. H. Hackett et ux to Harvey G. Turner, Andover.  
James H. Richardson to Smith F. Burton, Jr., Andover.

## Stowe 13, Breen 9

The Stowe Grammar School baseball nine defeated the Breen School nine on the Playstead last Saturday, 13 to 9. F. Blunt excelled for Stowe, striking out fifteen batters and Walker for Breen. The lineup:

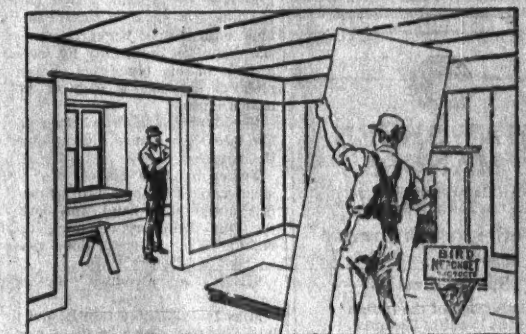
## STOWE

F. Blunt, p.  
H. Lawrence, c.  
K. Livingston (Capt.), 1b.  
O. Swenson, 2b.  
W. Murphy, ss.  
D. Doyle, 3b.  
Stowe, 1.f.  
Gallant, c. f.  
Waycott, r. f.  
Blunt, r. f.

BREEN  
3b, Walker  
p. Holdstrom  
2b, McGinnis  
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ss., Sullivan  
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### Community Church Notes

Rev. Markham Stackpole of Phillips Academy was the speaker at the Community Services held Sunday evening in Post Office hall.

The subject of his talk was "Building Upon a Rock Instead of Sand." Miss Mabel Marshall was the soloist of the evening sang "Prayer of Faith."

There will be only two more Sunday evening services; May 7, and May 14. Rev. Mr. Bowers of St. Augustine's church, South Lawrence will be the speaker on the 7th. The cantata "Ruth" will be sung by the choir of St. Augustine's church.

On May 14, Rev. A. S. Wheelock of the Free church, Andover will be the speaker. On accepting the resignation of Horace D. Wood as treasurer, the members of the executive committee for the Community services wish to express their regret and their deep appreciation of his loyal help and at the same time to wish for him happiness in his new home. Mr. Wood is leaving Shaw- and will make his home in Waban.

It is expected that the first Community service, after the summer vacation will be on the first Sunday in October.

Sunday school will continue until the middle of June.

An Executive Committee pro tem has been appointed; Charles C. Ide, and Edwin C. Law.

The Sunday school class of Miss Ruth Bell moved to Haggis's Pond on last Saturday. On arriving at the pond they rested and had lunch before starting for home.

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### CONCERT AND DANCE

Bowling Green Club Holds Successful Party in Balmoral Hall, Friday Evening

The concert and dance of the Bowling Green Club held on Friday evening in Balmoral hall was very successful. The entertainment was well planned, and was much appreciated by those who attended.

The program was as follows:

Selection Songs, "Radiance in your eyes" Mary Caldwell, "Bobolink" Mrs. Ethel Coolidge, "Ambye" John MacDonald, "Thistle-down" Miss Florence Blodgett, "Toodle Oodle Ay" Miss Helen Williams, "Nicolini" Henry Fairweather

The committee who arranged this successful affair were: Robert Williams, Dana Clark, and William Gordon.

Sinclair's Balmoral Orchestra played for dancing.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Gus Lasing, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Mosher, Mr. and Mrs. Blades, Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. George MacKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. John Maguire, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gordon, Dr. and Mrs. Stowers, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fairweather, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams, Jean Gordon, Katherine Carlson, Mary Carlson, Mrs. Clarence Coolidge, Mrs. Ethel Coolidge, Ambye, Mrs. George Murray, Mrs. Robert Thomas, Miss Doris Coolidge, Aleda Bond, John Clark, John MacDonald, Thomas Higgins, George Hatch, and George Bondori.

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### PERSONALS

Dana W. Clarke of York street has purchased a new Ford Sedan.

Miss Margaret Biddle of the Shawsheen Manor has been spending the past week in Plymouth, N. H. visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. David Archibald have moved to Haverhill street from Lawrence. Mr. Archibald is connected with the Shawsheen Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison and family of Methuen have moved to Haverhill street. Mr. Harrison is master mechanic at the Shawsheen Mills.

Miss Muriel Johnson of Salem street who is convalescing from a recent illness is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Douglas Donald, Warwick street.

The meeting of the Bowling Green Club that was to be held on Monday evening has been postponed until Monday evening, May 14, and it is requested that all members will attend.

Leslie R. Carmichael of Burnham road has been appointed new traffic officer and will assume his duties next Monday. Mr. Carmichael is an ex-service man and served in the navy during the war.

There will be a lecture in Balmoral hall Wednesday evening, May 10, by Dr. Rudolph Meritt of Boston, on scalp treatment and beauty culture. Dr. Meritt will answer all questions regarding these subjects.

Miss Janet Dalglish Alexander of 34 Dorchester street and George Albert McDonald of Washington street, Lawrence were united in marriage Saturday evening at the home of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald expect to reside in Shawsheen Village.

The meeting of the Athletic Committee of the Shawsheen Civic association that was scheduled to be held on Monday evening at the home of Matthew Burns, 6 Dumbarton street has been postponed until Tuesday evening, May 9, and it is requested that all members of that committee will make every effort to be present as this is an important meeting.

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### ANNUAL MEETING

Shawsheen Village Women's Club Elects Officers for Coming Year and Adjourns until October

The Shawsheen Village Women's Club held its annual meeting and election of officers on Monday evening in Balmoral hall at 8 o'clock. The secretary and treasurer read their annual reports which were accepted.

The officers elected were as follows: president, Mrs. Donald Carter; vice president, Mrs. George Winslow; secretary, Mrs. Albert Moore; corresponding secretary, Miss Edith Donald; treasurer, Mrs. Phillip Moore; directors for two years, Mrs. W. A. Gabeler and Mrs. Arthur Morrison.

The resignation of Mrs. Horace D. Wood as a member of the executive board, was accepted and she was given a rising vote of thanks for her good work during the past year. Later in the evening Mrs. Wood was presented with a bouquet by the members who extended many good wishes for happiness in her new home.

It was voted to open membership to women in all parts of Andover and allow non-residents to become associate members. Membership was formerly confined to residents of Shawsheen Village.

It was also voted to make the children's party and the carol singing at Christmas time annual affairs. The first children's party will be held in June at Greylock Haggis's pond, the summer home of Mrs. George M. Wallace.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses: Mrs. Leonard S. Little, chairman; Mrs. David Lawson, Mrs. Herbert Lewis, Mrs. Ella K. Littlefield, Mrs. Ignatius MacNulty, Mrs. Newman Matthews, Mrs. Lawrence Martin, Mrs. Archie Mayo, Mrs. William McGrath, Mrs. Herbert Merrick, Mrs. Phillip Moore and Mrs. Hubert Mayo.

At the close of this meeting the club adjourned until the first meeting in October.

Two young cedars of Lebanon, recently planted in the Brooklyn Botanic Gardens, are flourishing. Two other specimens may be seen in the Arnold Arboretum at Cambridge, Massachusetts.

## The Story of Our States

By JONATHAN BRACE  
XXVII.—FLORIDA



FLORIDA was considered America's first health resort. It was the search for a mythical Fountain of Perpetual Youth that led Ponce de Leon, the Spanish explorer, to land near the present site of St. Augustine. His rediscovery of Florida in 1513 was on Easter Sunday, hence the name, which is from Pascua Florida or Flowery Pass-over, which is the Spanish for Easter Sunday.

The French were the next settlers, founding a colony on the St. John's river. Spain promptly took action to maintain her ownership of this region and sent over an expedition which erected a fort under the leadership of Menendez at St. Augustine in 1565 and exterminated the Huguenot colony. St. Augustine is the oldest city in the United States. There followed a period of hostility between the English colonists in the Carolinas and the Spanish in Florida. By the treaty of 1763 Spain ceded Florida to England in exchange for Havana, which England had captured a few years previous. It remained an English colony until the last years of the Revolution when Spain recaptured it.

There were two provinces, East and West Florida. As the Spanish ruled Florida with a very loose form of government, this region became the refuge of pirates, smugglers and lawless characters. Such an element together with the unruly Seminole Indians naturally caused a great deal of trouble. To overcome this, President Monroe purchased Florida from Spain in 1819 for \$5,000,000 or about eleven cents an acre. It was organized into a territory and in 1845 was admitted to the Union.

Florida is sometimes called the Everglade State on account of the vast swamp-land in its southern part. It is also known as the Peninsula State and is the southernmost State of the Union. Its area is 58,600 square miles. (© by McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

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